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Taxation in Canada (Second Article)

The enormous sums of money required for the purpose of carrying on the war necessitated the finding of new sources of national revenue not only in Canada but in all countries engaged in the conflict. The money had to be raised in large sums. Existing sources of revenue were expanded to the full extent possible and existing taxes were increased. But that was not sufficient—entirely new schemes in taxation had to be evolved and for the most part they had to take the form of the imposition of direct taxes.

It was of the utmost importance, however, that such taxes, while capable of producing large sums, should be so devised as not to place an undue handicap on the ordinary people and the country, because it was of equal importance that the producing powers of the country should be expanded to their utmost and every possible precaution taken not to hamper or curtail production.

The tremendous demand for war equipment and materials of all kinds for the huge armies in the field led to an almost immediate expansion in certain lines of industry, demand exceeded production, and as a natural and inevitable consequence prices rose to unprecendented figures. It was absolutely natural and inevitable that those men who were engaged in such lines of industry should reap enormous financial benefits and amass great wealth. Thus arose the body of profiteers.

Soon there was a widespread and very popular demand that in levying taxation for war purposes, the Government should specifically single out those who were making money in hitherto unknown quantities because of the war. Responding to that demand the Governments in many countries imposed Excess Profits taxes. In theory such taxes may have been sound enough; in practice they worked out very badly, and in many ways detrimental to the country. In some cases they operated to discourage legitimate business initiative and enterprise; they discouraged development and expansion; they encouraged recourse to all sorts of devious methods for covering up profits, and led to wasteful methods in business and unnecessary expenditures under the heading of so-called expenses of business. And in the cases of individuals and firms doing business in a comparatively small way but under great difficulty they were an actual cause of embarrassment. It is now frankly recognized that, instead of taxing excess profits, steps ought to have been taken to prevent their accumulation in the first instance.

Beside such excess profits taxes were imposed in Canada some men and corporations had made many millions. In Canada a second blunder was made when the first war loans were issued free from taxation. The way was at once opened for the investment of these millions, and of other accumulated wealth, in the safest kind of security, at a high rate of interest, and absolutely guaranteed from taxation, and consequently freed from liability to contribute anything to the upkeep of government or towards the cost of the war. In a word, those best able to pay were relieved of that responsibility and necessity.

Another step in the evolution of war taxation in Canada was taken by the imposition of a Federal income tax—a field of taxation which had hitherto been regarded as appertaining to the provinces and municipalities. A proper Income Tax is, however, generally recognized as being a fair and proper method, provided the conditions under which it is levied and the machinery devised for its administration and collection are fair and just. In Canada, however, the methods devised for the imposition and collection of the Income Tax are such as to arouse most bitter feelings on the part of the people. The system is complicated and highly confusing; the administration is autocratic; the manner of enforcing payment intolerable to a democratic and self-respecting people, and the whole extravagantly expensive in operation.

Instead of a simple plan of administration and collection through existing municipal agencies being followed, a most elaborate department was created, employing a small army of men and women. The most minute detailed information is called for, and an outrageous list of penalties provided for even minor breaches in the observance of this elaborate scheme. There are normal taxes, super-taxes, percentage additional taxes, additions for this and subtractions for that, and penalties galore, until the proverbial Philadelphia lawyer would be hard put to it to know what is required of the ordinary individual citizen and what is not.

As a result there has sprung into existence a new group of middlemen who are reaping a rich reward in advising the poor bewildered citizen how to make out a tax return and thus keep himself out of the clutches of a law he has no desire nor deliberate intention of disobeying. Canada's Income Tax seems to have been framed upon the assumption that the citizens of this Dominion are essentially dishonest and unpatriotic, and in not a few instances the tax is being administered in much the same spirit. All right in principle, the Income Tax in Canada is sadly in need of reform in its details and administration.

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Church Debt Removed

There was a large attendance at the St. Patrick's Social in the Union Church on Thursday evening of last week, and it was one of the happiest and most successful events held here for some time. The members of the Ladies' Aid supervised the Social, and looked very becoming in their white dresses, decorated with the green of the shamrock. The front of the church was decorated with green flags. The president of the Ladies' Aid, Mrs. McRory, in a very worthy and capable manner presided over the proceedings. During the evening she made an announcement that met with hearty applause, when she stated that the goal had been more than realized. In fact the total receipts were \$85.00. This makes the entire church property clear of debt, and it is planned to celebrate the burning of the mortgage at the congregational social early in May.

The program was given in fine style and encores were the order of the evening. The Orchestra was again heard from in a number of stirring, enlivening, selections, given by Messrs Willis, Golden, Goodsell, McRory and Swenerton. The Plantas Majorial Band created lots of fun. The performers were a very green, villainously got up, funny looking trio with strange names, but known to Crossfieldites as McCool, Honeycrest and Marden, very much in contrast to the fair maiden accompanist Miss Claire Gemmill. A good imitation piano was brought onto the platform and the "Band" played, apparently on their home-made instruments of strange and wonderful design, while an orchestra behind the curtain actually did the trick. Later the real piano was brought out and a number of social waltzes, given the last one "Cockles and Mussels" being very heart rendering. The rest of the program also went off well. The history of St. Patrick, and some of the things for which Ireland is famous were told by Rev. E. K. Swenerton. One of the surprises of the evening came in hearing Mr. Harry Whitfield, sing not only "Where the River Shannon Flows" but a coon song that made a bit, it was the first time most people had heard him and so he was "a dark horse". Mr. Nicholson's readings were particularly good and full of rich humor and added much to the enjoyment of the evening. Mr. Waldo sang with a good swing "Off to Philadelphia." That fine duet "Life's Dream" is O'er, was well given by Mrs. Miss Pullan. Mr. McLea plunged into the depths with that profound bass song "Asleep in the Deep," and rose severely with an air from Harry Laurier. Mr. Golden took up his harp, so we hear his violin and charmed us with the strains he brought forth. The violin is a very popular instrument when it is so well played. Miss Freda Pullan has come to the front recently since she started vocal training. Her song "Adieu Marie" is very touching and was sung with sympathy and good effect. Mr. F. Goodsell gave a fine old Irish melody, "Kathleen Mavourneen," as a corollary. Crossfield is blessed with a lot of fine musical talent. The Ladies' Aid selection "When Irish Eyes are Smiling" was one of the best of the evening, and brought forth many favorable comments, the refreshments served by them were much enjoyed. There was a surplus of good things and local auctioneer Mr. F. Pullan sold the extra cakes. The Ladies Aid again wish to thank all who assisted them with the program, refreshments and donations of money.

We All Need It

A rural newspaper editor says: "It is reported that one of the fastidious newly married women of this town kneads bread with her gloves on. The incident may be somewhat peculiar, but there are others. 'The editor of this paper needs bread with his shoes on; he needs bread with his shirt on and he needs bread with his trousers on; unless some of the delinquent subscribers of this old rag of freedom pony up before long he will need bread without anything on.

Wheat Prices

How Far Were They Affected by the Activities of the British Wheat Commission?

The following brief survey of this question drawn up from the article on the subject in the "Farm News Letter" just issued by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, may be interesting to those of our readers who were affected by the recent sharp decline in the price of wheat.

Great Britain Our Chief Customer in the Past

Of the crop produced this continent, one-half is usually absorbed by Great Britain. As far as is known, the British Commission bought no wheat from Canada or the United States from 28th July to early in November. During this period the price of No. 1 Northern fell from \$2.75 to \$1.78½, a drop of practically \$1 per bushel.

Activities of the British Commission

Until April of last year the Commission bought supplies purchased through its department, the Wheat Export Company from the Canadian Wheat Board and the United States Grain Corporation. When the two latter came to an end the Wheat Export Company from the Canadian Wheat Board and the United States Grain Corporation. When the two latter came to an end the Wheat Export Company also ceased operations. Since then purchases from abroad have been, with one exception, made by the Commission in

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Until late in 1920 the tonnage to carry wheat from exporting countries was "directed" by the Ministry of Shipping, but is now arranged for by the sellers.

Distribution of the Wheat

The importer is instructed to distribute his wheat through his local agent at a price set to allow a loss of bread to be sold to the consumer at a fixed price. The difference between the price paid to the price paid to the producer, and that paid to the British miller is provided by a "bread subsidy." To reduce this subsidy the price of bread in October jumped from 9d. to 15d. per quarter loaf (i.e., the Old Country 4 lb. loaf now sells for 30c.)

Bread Subsidy to be Withdrawn

When the bread subsidy is withdrawn, it is expected it will be in March, the British authorities hope that the price of wheat in the world's markets may be such that the price of the loaf will remain stationary. As long as the subsidy exists, wheat prices will remain uncertain.

The Ladies Aid of Union Church will meet next Wednesday, March 30th, instead of at the regular time. This arrangement has been made so that Mrs. Jeffery may be present before her much regretted departure from Crossfield. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of the ladies. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Nicholson, beginning at 8.30 p. m.

GOOD FRIDAY

Where will you spend, Good Friday evening? Why not at church where you will hear good music and a fine address? A special service has been arranged at Union Church for to-morrow (Friday) night at 8 p. m. when there will be special music and an address by Rev. W. R. Bradley B. A. of Carstairs. Mr. Bradley says things in an interesting way, and is coming to say to us something important on the higher life. Plan to be present.

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Love of The Wild

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"Boys," he said, clenching his hands, "flesh is flesh and blood is blood when it comes to a time like this. Amos has always been a lot of trouble to us, an' I—I've quarreled with him and fought with him an' I hated him; but, boys, I guess I was wrong. I'm huntin' for him now. Dad an' the other boys is huntin' for him too. Why? I'll tell you why—it's 'cause flesh is flesh an' blood is blood when it comes to a time like this."

"Oh, he's likely all safe and sound somewhere," encouraged Declute. "Old Amos knows the weather too well to be caught in a blizzard." The brother shook his head. "Amos was gettin' whiskey somewhere," he said. "It's likely the sleep come on him—he's out there, I tell you," pointing out at the cold, moon-kissed woods. "Unless the wolves—"

He broke off with a shudder and, springing up, reached for his furs. "You're not goin' out again to-night," insisted Boy. "See here, Hank, you mustn't. Stay with me, like a good feller, and I'll help you look for Amos to-morrow."

Broadbrook turned and looked at Boy. His face was twitching and his voice was not quite steady when he said:

"You and Big Mac and all have been mighty good to us all clean through everything, an' when I guess we didn't deserve it, you still went to wander help us now, but you can't do nuthin', Boy; you can't do nuthin' any more than I kin. I've gotter keep huntin', huntin'. It's hell 'f it be like this, but blood's blood, an' Amos is out there somewhere."

He shook off Boy's hand and passed out. Paisley snatched his coat and rifle from the hooks.

"He mustn't," cried the back trail fagged like he is," he said. "Come on, Jim and Ander; we'll coax him over to my place and put him to bed."

"Yes, make him stay with you, Bill," said Boy. "I guess there's somethin' in what he said about flesh bein' flesh at a time like this."

He stood in the open doorway until he saw Paisley, Declute and Preter overtake Broadbrook far down the snow-packed path. Then he turned into the house, blew out the candle and sat down before the fire. By and by dreams came to him; they always came to him when the night was late and he was alone by the dying fire. Sweet and restful dreams they were, too, at times, when they were of the wide wood playground of used-to-be and he roamed its forest aisles with Gloss, and they were just "boy and girl," and the world was their. But there were other dreams—dreams that brought a shadow to his eyes as unendurable and understandable as the shadow that sometimes dipped across the ridge, whose spirit he had caught and held.

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To-night the shadow was there, and the dream was not of the water, marsh, or woodland, for of the wild things, not of David, but of the girl was there—she was always there, growing up out of the dead woods-to-be in spite of bitter thoughts and gnawing pain. And they saw her face to-night, gloriously glad and strong and beautiful.

His love was a bound prisoner, and only the spirit of worship, and the girl, with his sanctity. He did not realize what he was holding bound; he realized only that he was but a thing of the Wild, whose heart had caught and surged at the touch of a warm breath. He did not know that Gloss loved him. He did not realize his power. He was one of God's strong men.

Then the dream became of the marsh and water, and there was not a single cloud in the world of the Wild, and in the deep quiet of his peace Boy slept before the whitening coals.

When he awoke the gray dawn was peering into the room and he was alone beside the dying embers. But he saw her face in the coals, and it was his nature to be content with little. After all, there would always be something left of which no earthly power could deprive him.

CHAPTER XXVII.

While The Rain Fell

Watson, his feet on the table and his pipe alight, glanced at Smythe, who was standing before the window. It was evening, and the falling rain made soothing, swishing music against the pane and upon the low roof of the Bridgetown store. Watson watched the storekeeper looking for a long time.

"I told you we were playing a losing game," he growled, and here we were waiting before the window for the end. A mighty shrewd party we've been, to be sure. This double bluff, Smythe, I'm playing on you all my life—and what have I got by it? Nothing—absolutely nothing."

"Smythe," he said, "I'm a failure and smoothed his hair with a thin hand."

"We'll add it all looks as though we have been a little underestimating," he returned. "That last move of ours, folksy—very folksy; but, Thomas, we had to protect ourselves, and—ahem! we had to do what Simpson wished. Otherwise—"

"Do you think I would have let her cur lay a finger on that little girl?" cried Watson. "Look here, Smythe, I may be a cheat and a liar, but I tell you I'm not all bad. Simpson's threat that he would let Halibut—"

"Broadbrook lifted his head and said, 'I'm not all bad. Simpson's threat that he would let Halibut—'

"And I," murmured Smythe; "I too, Thomas."

Watson made a gesture of disgust. "Yes, you, too—Well, what are we going to do about it? Of course, the Colonel will go over to Bushwackers' Place, now the trail is clear."

"He will likely go as soon as he can," said Smythe in a low voice. "If the weather hadn't stopped him from going before now—"

"But there's nothing to stop him now," broke in Watson. "The trail's clear, as you know, and winter is about spent. Cursing out, it has been, too, but now it's all over."

Smythe came over and sat on the edge of the table. He picked up a fork and moved with it through the air. At length, his light eyes shifting about the room, and his voice softening almost to a whisper, he said:

"The dear Colonel is taking a big chance in visiting Bushwackers' Place now. It's almost suicide for him to attempt it."

Watson glanced at the speaker and winced his face on his hand. "I wish there was some way to prevent his going," he returned, "—if only for one day or two. We've got to get out of here—that's all."

Smythe crept over to the window and pulled down the blind. The rain was falling heavily now and the wind had risen to a roar that shook the solid structure.

"My friend," he smiled, "kindly let our guest up to the council-chamber."

Watson bent and lifted a heavy iron-door in the floor.

"Come up, Satan," he commanded. In another instant a man's head and shoulders were thrust through the opening and Amos Broadbrook swung himself up into the room. He examined his good eye at the candle-light and rolled a quid of tobacco from one side of his jaw to the other. The man's cheeks were sunken and his whole attitude was one of abject fear.

"They ain't comin', he they?" he asked with a shudder. "You ain't givin' me up 'f them, men, hey?"

"Amos," spoke Smythe, "playing ground-hog for over three months has used you up. I guess a glass of whiskey wouldn't come amiss, would it?"

"Whiskey," whispered the wretched man; "be I goin' 'f get whiskey? I need it now 'f I ever did. What 's'ole be that?" he asked, gripping Watson's arm with trembling hands.

Watson shook off the hand and said something in an undertone. Broadbrook drank the whiskey while Smythe brought him and sank upon a stool.

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"When are you goin' 'f let me go?" he asked eagerly. "It's rainin' now, and the snow'll be gone by mornin'." Oh, men, let me go tonight, he begged cringingly.

Mr. Smythe raised him gently and patted his shoulder in a fatherly way. "Amos," he chided, "you must be a man. You must bear up, my poor fellow. Aye, true, but 'conscience doth make cowards of us all.' You should strive to bear up under the burden, Amos."

Broadbrook rolled his eyes about the room. "At last by the way," he said, "I ain't sayin' 'f I'm sorry for yer thin'." he growled, "an' I ain't sayin' 'f I wouldn't like 'f I do more 'n I have for some 'f them Bushwackers neither."

"I'm scared Halibut, but I'll get 'em that I'm shaky, and besides, old Noah's ghost has been hauntin' me, so I'll be all right."

Watson poured out more of the spirits, and Amos drank greedily. "Watson's eyes sought Smythe's. He will be hunting you soon, Amos," he said. "Colored Halibut has sworn to run you down. He says he will put his hands on your track."

"Lor," shuddered Amos, taking his head in his hands. "Smythe edged closer and whispered: "We have ascertained that he will go to Bushwackers' Place before putting the matter to rest. Perhaps he wants something of yours to give the dogs a scent."

Broadbrook lifted his head and said, "An' he's goin' 'f Bushwackers' Place?"

"He's nodding his big head up and down, evolv'ing some wicked plan in his slow-working brain. 'If I start away to-night I kin get

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across 'f border afore he kin let 'f dogs out," he said eagerly.

Watson shook his head. "You couldn't make it in four days, not in this weather," he asserted. "Besides, you'd leave a track that anybody could follow. Those dogs are swift and they would have you in two days if you tried that way."

"When of this Halibut 'f be goin' 'over?' asked Amos, standing up. The liquor had steadied his nerves and he spoke in the old voice.

Smythe shrugged his shoulders. "A man from St. Thomas was in to-night," he said haltingly. "He says the trail was pretty well blocked yesterday. We know Halibut will go as soon as it is possible for him to do so, and we know this rain means a clear trail to-morrow. Also," he added slyly, "we know that Halibut will surely call here on his way over, and that he is taking his life in his hands by going at all."

"Do you think he'll get shot?" asked Amos.

"No danger," said Watson. "You know what the Bushwackers are like. Broadbrook. It was over three months ago they made that threat. They will never fire on the Colonel now."

Smythe was walking to and fro, his hands in his pockets, his slipper feet padding the floor with a soft tread like that of an animal.

"Of course," he explained, his face smiling and his eyes on the floor. "Mr. Watson and I both know that the Bushwackers threatened to kill the Colonel Halibut. But, lifting his head and clasping his claw-like hands together, "let us hope that a Higher Power will guide his footsteps aright, even though his action in visiting those people is suicidal to a degree."

Watson made a wry face and rolled his pipe.

Smythe continued to pace up and down his lips moving as though in prayer. Broadbrook sat huddled up in his chair, his great hands gripping each other.

(To be continued)

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NORTH DAKOTA IN A BAD WAY FINANCIALLY

State Credit Shattered And Receiver-ship Has Been Suggested.

POLITICS IN FINANCE

A Situation Which Should Be Carefully Studied By Those Who Propose Government Banks In Canada.

The advantages of the Canadian branch bank system are being more and more appreciated in the United States. Floyd W. Parsons, in the "Saturday Evening Post," declares that money is cheaper in Canada than in the U.S. because of the efficient banking system. The collapse of the banking system in North Dakota is responsible for general criticism of the attempts at socialistic financing in that state which should be carefully considered by those who advocate government banks in Canada. Bank managers should post themselves on these developments as providing an effective reply to the critics of the Canadian banks.—J. W. T.

There is a lesson for the radicals of Canadian provincial finance in the latest fiasco of North Dakota banking and finance. American bankers, both East and West, during the week turned down North Dakota's proposed \$400,000 bond issue, though tempted with a 9 per cent. interest rate.

"It is a significant commentary on North Dakota's situation that efforts to borrow money for the state at 9 per cent. interest have failed, while South Dakota sold \$5,000,000 of rural credit bonds bearing a lower interest in Chicago last month at a premium," declares the New York Times.

"What has been happening in North Dakota is the outcome of political interference with the operations of business and banking," says the New York Journal of Commerce. "The result is a situation which bears particular significance in which politics or political considerations do most harm and produce dangerous conditions most quickly."

North Dakota's banking misery has been further accentuated by the announcement this week of the 35th state bank failure, the outcome of a situation that bears particular significance in Canada at a moment of proposed class legislation in banking. North Dakota has learned the lesson that seems to face some of our own province if they persist in radical finance, that no state can exist a day until it is self-sufficient. It must come to a recognition of its neighbor. Its behavior in the meantime must be such that its neighbor will at all times—in feast or famine—be willing to extend the hand of friendship. To North Dakota's neighbors refuse to be "friendly" because of North Dakota's behavior; North Dakota's neighbors would loan that North Dakota needs.

"A complete turnover of the State Government and abandonment of the Socialistic program is what is believed, restore confidence in North Dakota among investors and probably nothing else will do it," comments the Minneapolis correspondent of the New York Times, adding: "That is something which North Dakota would have to work out for herself without outside dictation."

Political Interference. North Dakota's predicaments in business and banking come at an opportune time to warn possible sympathizers with the non-partisan drive in our Canadian West, for North Dakota's banking and business were primarily upset by political interference. The banks are said not to be insolvent in the usual sense, but simply to be carrying long term and overdue assets obtained in the effort to sustain the local farmers during a period of stress. According to others, there is in the North Dakota institutions a good deal of paper, secured by farm products at excessive prices, which can be liquidated only in the event that these products return to their old high-price levels—a most unlikely development. At all events it is clear that many banks in that part of the state have become badly "tied up" and cannot meet their obligations at once. What is the exact status of the state's own banking enterprises and interests there is said to be no sufficient evidence to show.

Though unable to help the State Treasury and the State Bank of North Dakota at this time, word comes from Minneapolis that the bankers there are standing by North Dakota banks, all which are said to be more or less embarrassed by the financial deadlock with the Bank of North Dakota. Predictions are made, according to the New York Times, that the virtual insolvency of the Bank of North Dakota and the closing of the State Bank of North Dakota, N.D., will bring the suspension of perhaps one hundred

Failure of State Control In Banking.

Liquidation of the Bank of North Dakota means the closing of the only state controlled central bank in the United States. It was organized as the hub of the Non-Partisan League industrial program, with a capital of \$2,000,000 and deposits of over \$5,000,000, due to its being the depository of all state, county and municipal funds by law. For the last four years it has been the dominating figure in North Dakota banking. Business men here have always doubted the ability of a state to carry on a bank, build homes, elevators and mills, and extend extensive credit to farmers without getting into difficulties. During the period in which the Non-Partisan League was in power the bank and the program flourished, but with the failure of its political banking and the inability to sell its bonds it began to totter. Expectations of its failure were common among business men at some time ago.

banks in addition to the thirty-five closed so far.

The elasticity of the Canadian branch bank system becomes more than ever apparent as the result of the North Dakota banking deadlock. "Properly understood," opines the New York Journal of Commerce, "the North Dakota banking enterprise ought to educate the community for a return to control respecting the fundamental principles of credit and its extension."

Receivership for the State. The Wall Street Journal suggests that North Dakota should go into receivership for the state itself. The offer of outside banks, possibly already committed to finance bonds of the state, "is paralleled not by the solvent financing of a well-governed state, but by the bankruptcy of a bankrupt corporation which has floundered into enterprise of an increasingly visionary and speculative kind."

On September 25 last our special correspondent in the North fully handled the control of North Dakota by that blatant conspiracy known as the New York Non-Partisan League. He pointed out the inevitable consequences:

"Every North Dakota taxpayer is now an unlimited partner in a bank to make large and a vasting insolvency a certainty. This is not to say that the bank is insolvent, but the state of North Dakota is moving towards that condition, and as the Towhney league owns the present of the bank (an ex-livory stable keeper), the state officials, the courts and a sufficient number of law-makers—a condition which makes New York's Tammany under Bill Tweed, in the early 70s, look like the merest petty larceny—it will work out into a final conclusion. It is only a question of time."

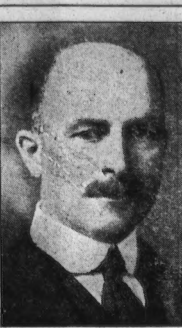
It was only a question of time—less than five months, to be exact. Under the auspices of the vociferous Towhney and his gang, the North Dakota taxpayer, which means the North Dakota farmer, was carried into receivership and the bank was nothing. He was exploited in all of them. It is true that Towhney knew as little as the farmer about the capable conduct of a business. But he and his confederates wanted was "sucker" money. They had no more concern about the ruin of the farmer than Ponal, Ferdinand Ward or "Get rich quick" Miller.

Accordingly the North Dakota taxpayer was plunged into something euphemistically called "banking," and "kinned." He was plunged into flour milling, disastrously. He was included in the "independent" marketing of his grain, and milked alike on price and commission. He was taken into a chain-store gamble called "co-operation," and taxed, going and coming. He was forced for half insurance, Bolshevism literature and teaching in schools, public ownership of both public and private utilities, and a complete Socialist outfit.

He has been seized dry. If the state Bank of North Dakota which was not a bank in any real sense of the word but merely a depository of public funds, using liquid assets to finance non-liquid securities, represented the state, as it indeed did, the state is insolvent if it is insolvent. Nothing but a virtual receivership would help the North Dakota taxpayer, where he is insolvent. Our correspondent wrote, the farmer could have sold his wheat at better prices for two dollars a bushel and his own solvency might have enabled him to keep his leaky ship of state afloat. But by his own and the Towhney wheat pool the farmer himself is largely insolvent.

North Dakota was not, as the Non-Partisan League so proudly boasts, a laboratory for progress and freedom. It was fooled to the top of its bent. But it can perform a great service to the country in standing as a warning for all time. The receivership for the town of Elizabeth, New Jersey, had an admirable moral effect on city government everywhere. It is to the country's credit that it is necessary to go back nearly fifty years to find that parallel.

Popular Railway Official



W. M. Kilpatrick, Asst. Freight Traffic Manager, C.P.R. Western Lines.

Demand For Curtailment Of Railway Estimates

Advocate Energetic Immigration Policy to People Praries and Create Traffic.

Ottawa.—An insistent demand in developing both among Government and Opposition members for a curtailment of the railway estimates and a re-organization of the whole Canadian National Railway system, looking toward a permanent improvement in the financial side of the problem. The sum of \$168,000,000 included in the estimates for railway purposes has evidently brought a realization of the seriousness of the situation, and this coupled with the frank warning given by Hon. J. D. Reid in the Commons that the railway problem was seriously hindering the growth and progress of Canada, may lead to a general investigation of the whole situation.

Decided opinions were expressed by members that all duplications of lines and services must be done away with immediately, and in addition extremists are advocating doing away with a number of the transcontinental passenger trains and confining the passenger service to local trains serving stated districts.

Yet another opinion was that if necessary the passenger service to the west should be practically turned over to the Canadian Pacific Railway and that the government should confine itself to the hauling of freight.

Certain members, mostly westerners, are advocating an energetic policy of immigration in order to settle the vast uninhabited areas and thus gradually generate business for the railways, which they state have been developed to a point a quarter of a century ahead of the present time. This immigration, they assert, must come from Great Britain and the feeling is that settlers must be carefully selected, with a wall against the influx of hordes from southern and central Europe.

It is certain that the railway estimates will have a stormy passage in the house.

A New Departure

Group Government Is Demonstrated In Manitoba Chamber.

Winnipeg.—The group system of government was seen in operation in the Manitoba Legislature when all factions gathered for discussion of the financial affairs of the province with a leading member presiding. It was decided that the whole docket of financial requirements, such as proposed grants to the university, for good roads, hospitals, charities, etc., should be decided upon at conferences of the whole body of legislators. Premier Norris said the committee of the whole house would be called upon to aid the government in finding new revenues with which to carry on the operations of the government.

Report 35 Aliens.

Detroit, Mich.—Thirty-five aliens, ordered deported for alleged radical activities, are leaving here for New York, immigration officials have announced.

W. N. O. 1359

Germans Accept Allied Occupation With Outward Calm

Berlin Gives No Indication Of Resentment and Business Proceeds As Usual.

Berlin.—The public of Berlin outwardly gives no indications of resentment at the occupation of additional territory by the Allies. The Reichstag has also refused to get excited and has settled down to the settlement of the regular calendar after listening to Chancellor Fehrenbach's statement concerning the breaking off of the London negotiations and voting down a motion by Radicals to have the London deliberations discussed in plenary session.

The Bourse showed symptoms of nervousness in security, due not only to disruption of the London confer-

ence, but also to a report that President Harding had requested the Senate to postpone action regarding peace between the United States and Germany. The dispatch stated that Mr. Harding was opposed to any attempt to conclude peace in the present situation because such action would possibly be interpreted as an affront to the entente.

The Reichsbank's statement for the last week in February showed a two-billion mark increase in currency circulation. Reports from Leipzig say there is no falling off in buying, despite London developments.

To Throw Off Soviet Yoke

Opinion Held That Bolshevism is at the Beginning of Its End.

Paris.—The executive committee of former members of the Russian Duma with headquarters here has called to Boris Bismarck, Russian ambassador at Washington, to make representations to the United States state department on behalf of the revolutionary movement in Kronstadt and elsewhere. He was asked to explain the nature of the revolution and to request that food and other aid, on purely humanitarian grounds be sent to the scene.

Nicholas Asvkenstieff, president of the committee, stated that as a result of secret direct communication received with the interior of Russia, through Finland, the committee was in a position to state that the present movement was entirely different from all previous attacks against the Bolshevism.

"The committee now going on," he said, "is one organized by the people of Russia and it differs in every way from the outbreak of Wrangel, Kolchak, Denikin and Yudenich. It is a declaration of the resentment of the people of Russia against Bolshevism. The present phase of it may be put down by the brutal force of the Bolshevism, but a nation-wide revolution is sure to come in April or May. We believe this is the beginning of the end of Bolshevism."

"The committee decided last January that Bolshevism can be defeated only from within and not with expeditions such as that of Gen. Wrangel. The present revolution proves the wisdom of our decision. The Bolshevism movement will help with propaganda, supplies of food and similar aid, but no military force will ever be attempted again."

The Alternative Course

Hon. Duncan Marshall Suggests that Abattoirs be Used at Tidewater.

Edmonton.—In an arraignment of the British policy of continuing the embargo on Canadian live cattle shipment, Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture, speaking to a motion before the legislature, urged the removal of this embargo, declared that Canada had never had a definite case of the pluro pneumonia objected to in Britain, never had a case of foot and mouth disease, and of over 3,000,000 head of slaughter cattle shipped to Britain since 1905, when the embargo was imposed, got one trace of disease had been registered after examinations.

If the lifting of the embargo could not be brought about, Hon. Mr. Marshall said there would have to be an alternative course adopted providing abattoirs at tidewater to ship meat via the cool north Atlantic route to the British market more promptly and in better condition than was possible in the case of Canada's competitor, the Argentine, which was obliged to ship across the equator several thousand miles farther.

10,000 Go On Strike.

New York.—Approximately 10,000 workers in mines and children's shoe factories have gone on strike. It was announced at the headquarters of the international union where it was claimed that the industry in Greater New York was practically tied up.

Austria Sympathises With Germany

German Giant Will Not Forget, Vienna, Papers of Vienna.

Vienna.—Sympathy with Germany in the developments which followed the breaking up of the negotiations at London, is expressed by the newspapers here. The German attitude is generally praised and the long excerpts from Bismarck's speeches are printed. The Neue Aric Press calls the Allied action "war in midst of peace," and the Mittags Zeitung says: "It may be assumed the German people will bear their sad fate with dignity and will do nothing to render the task of the enemy easier. The German giant may be momentarily down, but he will never forget tortures to which he was subjected."

Seeks Information About R. C. M. P.

Member for Pontiac Wants to Know If Mounted Police Are Senior to Dominion Men.

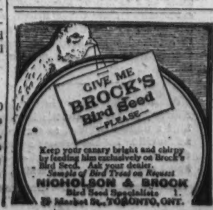
Ottawa.—F. S. Cahill, Pontiac, is asking a series of searching questions regarding the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. He wants to know if the non-commissioned officers of the Dominion police were placed junior to the non-commissioned officers of the Mounted Police at the time of the amalgamation, irrespective of length of service. He is asking questions relative to the cost of upkeep of the corps and the amount of protection given government buildings before and since amalgamation.

Canada's Navy Arrives at Esquimaux. Victoria.—Not since the days prior to 1905, when the British squadron was stationed in British Columbia waters, has Esquimaux harbor beheld such a truly British naval scene as that witnessed with the arrival of the nucleus of Canada's navy. In the interim modern ships of war have visited the historic naval port but what stands out, most conspicuously in the advent of the Canadian fleet is the step that it marks toward the rehabilitation of Esquimaux as an active naval base.

Long Distance Wireless Record.

San Francisco.—The world's long distance wireless record has been broken by the United States navy by sending messages within the duration of three minutes from Cavite, Philippines, to Washington, D.C., a distance of approximately 10,000 miles.

Janet's Will Help Mother Country. Kingston, Jamaica.—The Legislative Council has passed a measure providing for an appropriation of \$350,000 annually for 40 years for the purpose of helping in the liquidation of the Mother Country's war debt.



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The German steamship Tirpitz, one of the masterpieces of German shipbuilding, and at present largest steamer afloat, is now completed and is shortly to be handed over to the Allies.

She was originally intended for the Panama Canal route, and was constructed to carry 2,000 passengers in the Hamburg-America line's westward service to China. As in the case of the Vaterland, the Tirpitz was fitted out in the most elaborate manner. For her saloon passengers there is a marble swimming bath, said to be the largest afloat. The Tirpitz was laid up during the war and suffered some damage, but this has now been repaired. She is to undergo her trials at Swinemunde in the course of a few days, and will then, after a short voyage, be handed over to her new owners—London Times.



Wash Day and Backache

WASH day is the least welcome day of the week in most homes, though sweeping day is not much better. Both days are most trying on the back.

The strain of washing, ironing and sweeping frequently deranges the kidneys. The system is poisoned and backache, rheumatism, pain in the limbs result.

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World Happenings Briefly Told

Members of the Toronto City Council have voted themselves big increases in salaries.

M. H. Neker, inventor of the famous 150 mm. gun used by the French army, has arrived in Montreal.

Preparations are in progress for the erection of a chain of military block houses to indicate the boundary of the new Ulster area in Ireland under the Home Rule Act.

The British Columbia Telephone Company has filed application for increases in exchange rentals and telephone charges amounting to \$397,000 per annum.

"Producer to Consumer" is the slogan of the United Farmers of Ontario. Their latest venture will be in the form of a cafeteria in Toronto, likely near the head offices of the organization.

The cabinet is considering the extension of the regulation of the Department of Immigration and Colonization which provides that an immigrant must have at least \$250 at the time of entering Canada.

Trade and commerce is being strangled in Canada through the increased freight rates put in effect some months ago by the Board of Railway Commissioners according to Sir Douglas Cameron, of Vancouver.

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The Insult.

A man from the backwoods visited New York for the first time and went into a restaurant to have his dinner. All went well until the waiter brought him a napkin. The eyes of the backwoodsman flamed, and, pulling a six-shooter from his hip pocket, he told the waiter his mind.

"You take that blamed thing away at once," he said, evenly. "I reckon I know when to use a handkerchief without having them darned hints thrown out."

Miller's Worm Powders work so effectively that no traces of worms can be found. The pests pass away in the stools without being perceptible. They make an entire and clean sweep of the intestines, and nothing in the shape of a worm can find lodgment there when these powders are in operation. Nothing could be more thorough or desirable than their action.

A Pointed Protest.

At a dinner given by that famous "Committee of One Hundred on Ireland" at Chicago, Judge Coburn, of New York, said that the British Empire must be dismantled if the world is to have peace. What had this peculiar American been drinking? Would he stop to think what would have happened to the Statue of Liberty if the British fleet had not been on the job in 1914?—Victoria Times.

No matter how deep-rooted the corn may be, it must yield to Hollar's Corn Remover if used as directed.

"What sort of a woman is Mrs. Guff?" asked Mrs. Muff. "Well," replied Mrs. Duff. "She's one of those women who could wear a \$10,000 necklace and make it look like it came from the 10-cent store."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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The Long-Waisted Frock is Smart



By Gertrude Beresford.

Many of the most delectable frocks for the new season show that the location of the waistline is far below what is known as the natural waistline. However, dresses cut on such lines are exceedingly charming, especially among the youthful members of the fair sex. White Swiss enriched with blue dots is chosen for the development of this attractive frock. It has very short sleeves, but should its wearer elect to do so she may cover her arms with bangles. The skirt is designed with two deep folds, which are bordered with Canton crepe in matching shade. The sash is of blue and silver ribbon, while the black satin hat is trimmed with coq tails.

A Bear at Home.

"Harry," she said thoughtfully. "What is it?" responded the worried businessman, rather shortly. "I wish you could re-arrange your business a little bit."

"How?"

"So as to be a bear on the stock exchange instead of at home."

How's This?

We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be relieved by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 75c. Testimonials free. E. J. Chesney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

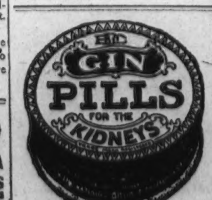
The slow type of airplane is now playing its part in agriculture, the latest use to which it has been put being to scatter seed over prepared fields.

Your Asthma, Too. The efficacy of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is not something that is merely to be hoped for; it is to be expected. It seldom fails to bring relief, and in your own individual case it will do the same. So universal has been the success of this remedy that every one afflicted with this disease owes it to himself to try it.

The finest oil for watches and delicate machinery is obtained from the jaw of the porpoise, and costs from \$50 to \$100 a gallon.

Minard's Liniment for sale, everywhere.

Prunes are served to the inmates of Sing Sing prison on an average of twice a week, and 10,000 are used for one meal.



Constipation Is Relieved

Prompt—Permanent—Relief

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

Relieve after dinner distress—relieve indigestion; improve the complexion—brighten the eyes.



Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price



Grandfather smiles while Baby tells him how nice his beard feels and how sweet it smells.

The secret is the morning wash with Baby's Own Soap—the soap Mother uses for herself and for the children.

Roses of France and other natural perfumes give their aroma to

BABY'S OWN SOAP



Causing a Laugh.

It's easy to induce the world to laugh with you; all you have to do is to laugh at yourself.

Heart Disease Relieved in 30 Minutes. Dr. Agnew's Remedy for the Heart gives perfect relief in all cases of Organic or Sympathetic Heart Disease in 10 minutes, and speedily effects a cure. It is a specific remedy for Palpitation, Shortness of Breath, Smothering Spells, Pain in Left Side, and all symptoms of a diseased heart. One dose convinces.

Spain has no Monday morning newspapers, for Sunday work of any kind in newspaper plants is forbidden by the government.

A Kidney Remedy

Kidney troubles are frequently caused by badly digested food which overtaxes these organs to eliminate the irritant acids formed. Help your stomach to properly digest the food by taking 15 to 30 drops of Extract of Roots, sold as Mother Joseph's Carative Syrup, and your kidney disorder will promptly disappear. Get the genuine.

MONEY ORDERS

The safe way to send money by mail is by Dominion Express Money Order.

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Wool's Cotton Root Compound

Wool's Cotton Root Compound. A safe, reliable, and powerful medicine. Sold in three grades. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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We have the best assortment of **POSTS**
obtainable at very cheap prices

Green cut Cedar Tamrac and Willows
and are offering them at

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A Special Car of BIG Willow POSTS

Some of them 5in. through, good and straight **12c each**

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What is there in a name? Nothing, if you don't know what it means.

With "Flexo" in your Automobile Tires you eliminate Blow-outs, Punctures and Leaky Valves, messing about and spoiling your clothes, with Flexo in your old Tires you can wear them down to the last fabric.

Think of it! your wife, daughter or lady friend can drive the car without fear of Tire trouble, when you use "Flexo"

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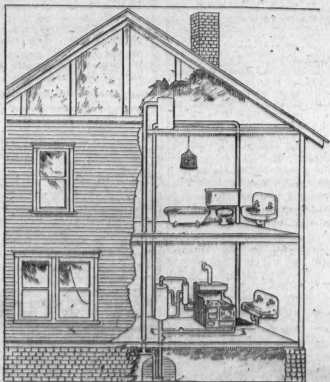
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The Wonderful Water Plant— No engine, no windmill, no hand pump, no gasoline, oil or batteries to buy. Your cookstove or range does the work automatically while the cook is preparing the meal, or when there is a fire for any other purpose.



We handle up-to-date Electric and Gasoline Plants, and all Repairs for all kinds of Gasoline Lighting Plants.

NOTE—Our late improved Gasoline Light gives entire satisfaction burns 1/3 less Gasoline, giving same Candle power as old style lights.

McKAY BROS, Sole Dealers
For the Cochrane & Gleichen Electoral Districts.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A Box Social and Dance will be held in Conrad's Hall, on Friday, April 1st, under the auspices of the Crossfield Baseball Club. Admission \$1.00. Everybody invited. A good time is assured. Good Music. All those purchasing boxes will have admission fee returned.

There were more old people present than usual at the Young People's meeting on Tuesday evening last, to hear the debate on the resolution, "That travel and observation are of more educational value than reading." The affirmative side was taken by Miss Lilian Landymore and James Balshaw Jr., in favor of travel and observation. The side of the negative was very ably taken by Miss Marie Becker and Percy Willis. There were eighty-eight very pleased and well entertained people present, to hear the young debaters, who conducted themselves admirably in every way. The judges gave their decision in favor of the affirmative. The rest of the evening was well spent in community singing of old and new favorites, — the scholars from the local school very ably showing the older folks how to "start up some of the new songs. Robert Whitfield recited "Betty and the Bear", in good style, Messrs Goodsell and Whitfield rendered two good musical selections, in duet on the cornet and baritone, Mrs. R. Whitfield, very ably sang the "Volunteer Organist". The judges for the debate were Messrs Swererton, Banks and Calhoun.

The publishers throughout the country have been receiving letters from T. Katons agents asking for quotations on advertising space. The Chronicle is also in receipt of one of these inquiries. If it is good business on the part of the mail order houses to advertise during slack times in the country weeklies Mr. Merchant, is it not better business for you to do a little advertising?

Get your Easter Plant at the sale to be held by the Women's Guild, on Saturday, March 26th.

See M. M. Meeklenburg, Optometrist (Sight measurer), Experienced Skillful, of high repute, and 17 years in this province, will be in Carstairs on Thursday, March 31st. Hours: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at S. Downie and Sons Offices. Charges are Moderate.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute, will be held in the Union Church, on Saturday, April 2nd. An address will be given by Mr. Valiquette, of Calgary, on the "Laws of Alberta applying to Women". As this will surely be an instructing as well as interesting subject, every member should make a point of being present and bring a friend. Vocal numbers will be rendered by Mrs. W. Laut and Mrs. D. J. McKay. A little social time will be spent at the close, when tea will be served. A small collection will be taken up to defray expenses, so that all may feel welcome to come whether a member or not.

Don't buy your Kitchen Aprons until you visit the sale by the Women's Guild, on Saturday, March 26.

The final meeting for the season of the C. Y. P. S. will take place next Tuesday evening, in the Union Church, at 8 p. m. There will be a special attraction, having secured the services of the "Twin Sisters". These sisters are very entertaining and will supply no end of fun and amusement. They are as much alike as two peas, and cannot be told apart. Come and see for yourself. We also expect to have with us the three entertainers known as "The Three Nations". These people are a concert in themselves, so be sure to attend. A small collection will be taken up to take care of the few expenses, such as coal, lights, etc. Refreshments will be served.

NOTICE

Cattle Branded JS on right shoulder
Please notify,
H. Schofield.

For Sale

For Sale—Registered Duroc Jersey Boar, coming 2 years, weighs around 500 lbs. If you want to get some good litter this is the boar for you. Phone 1209, Crossfield.

Oxford, Shropshire and Suffolk Rams, also a nice lot of Breeding Ewes for sale. S. DOWNTON & SONS, Carstairs. Phone 120.

STRAYED.

ROAN HEIFER, rising two years old. Branded on right 2 shoulder. Reward for recovery.
J. Tudge, Crossfield.

Impounded

Impounded in the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 290 Pound, situated on the S.W. 1/4, Sec. 4, Tp. 29, R. 27, W. of 4th.

One Black Heifer coming two years old. Branded on left ribs. The above animal was impounded January 20th, 1921.

WALTER KNIGHT,

Foundkeeper.

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NOTICE

Cattle Brand TX left hp.
Both ears cut off with wire in stub.
Horse Brand TX left stub or thigh
Thomas Amery.
Also Cattle Brand VJ right hp.
Both ears cut off with hand in right stub with name and address.
Horse Brand VJ right thigh.
Amery and Son.

Anyone having strays with any of the above brands or ear marks please notify.

THOMAS AMERY,
Phone 105 or AMERY & SON,
or 708 Crossfield, Alta.

Crossfield School District No. 752
The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above School Board will be held in Ontakes and Gordon's Office, at 8 p.m., on the second Monday of each month.

Ratepayers are invited to be present at these meetings.
All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec. Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.
A. W. GORDON, Chairman.
Merrick Thomas, Sec. Treas.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8:30 o'clock p.m.
By Order of the Village Council.
M-52. W. McHenry, Sec. Treas.

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A full line of CIGARS, CIGARETTES, TOBACCO & CANDY BARS
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Collections and Deliveries on
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W. POGUE, Proprietor.

NOTICE!!

ALL ACCOUNTS OWING TO THE BLISS' GARAGE

Must be paid by the end of February.

We have accounts to meet and it is impossible for us to pay them unless we get money that is owing us.

Now if you owe us a bill drop in and settle it, we will certainly be greatly obliged for it, for we must have money at once.

Please Don't Forget.

Phone 3.

CROSSFIELD, Alberta.